

**REMARKS**

The claims have been amended to include the limitations of Claim 4. Claim 4 has been identified by the Examiner as being allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 4 is rewritten in independent form as currently amended Claim 1.

New Claims 5, 6 and 7 have been added. Support for Claims 5 and 7 is found at page 5, lines 7-20 of applicant's specification. Support for Claim 6 is found at page 5, lines 4-6 of applicant's specification.

In view of the above, it is submitted that applicant's claims define patentable subject matter and an early Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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